GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Registration & Stamps Department – case under the prevention of corruption Act for allegation of demand and acceptance of bribe against Sri Majji Srinivasa Rao, former Sub Registrar, I.Polavaram (M), East Godavari District – Trapped on 3-5-2003 – convicted by the Special Judge for SPE & ACB cases, III Additional District & Sessions Judge, Vijayawada in C.C.No.26/2008, dt:27-12-2016 – Dismissal from service – Orders – Issued.

REVENUE (VIGILANCE-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.86 Dated:27-2-2017

Read the following:

1. Radio Message from the DG, ACB Cr.No.4/RCT-RJY/03, dt:4-5-2003.
2. DG, ACB, AP., Hyd., Lr.No.113/RCT-REG/2003, dt:29-11-2003.
3. G.O.Ms.No.119, Rev (Vig.VI) Dept., dt:04.02.2004.
4. DG, ACB, Vijayawada, AP Lr.Rc.No.113/RCT-REG/2003, dt:1-2-2017 along with a copy of the Judgment in CC.No.26/2008 on the file of the Special Judge for SPE & ACB cases, Vijayawada.

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ORDER:

Whereas, in the reference 1st read above, it has been brought to the notice of Government that Sri Majji Srinivasa Rao, former Sub Registrar, I.Polavaram Mandal, East Godavari District was trapped by the Anti Corruption Bureau officials on 3-5-2003 when he demanded and accepted bribe of Rs.3,000/- from the complainant Sri S.Adinarayana of Kothapalli (V) for doing official favour for registration of 0.40 cents of land purchased by the complainant.

2. And whereas in the reference 2nd read above, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau has furnished the final report stating mainly among others that it is clearly established beyond all reasonable doubt that the Accused Officer demanded and accepted an amount of Rs.3,000/- from the complainant Sri Sanaboina Adinarayana of T.Kothapalli village to show official favour of registration of 0.40 cents of land purchased by the complainant from Smt.K.Venkatalakshmi of Vakalapudi (V), Kakinada Rural Mandal, East Godavari District and stated that there is sufficient documentary and oral evidence to prove the guilt of Accused Officer. With the above findings, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau has recommended to prosecute the Accused Officer Sri Majji Srinivasa Rao, former Sub Registrar, I.Polavaram Mandal, East Godavari District in a court of law under section 7, 13 (2) r/w 13 (a) (d) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988.

3. Whereas, Government have examined the relevant reports, documents and decided to prosecute the Accused Officer in a court of law and accordingly in the reference 3rd read above, accorded sanction of prosecution against the Accused Officer Sri Majji Srinivasa Rao, former Sub Registrar, I.Polavaram Mandal, East Godavari District in a court of law.

4. And whereas, in the reference 4th read above, the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh has informed that the Special Judge for Special Police Establishment & Anti Corruption Bureau cases, III Additional District & Sessions Judge, Vijayawada pronounced judgment on 27-12-2016 and convicted Sri Majji Srinivasa Rao, former Sub-Registrar, I.Polavaram (M), East Godavari District and sentenced him to undergo rigorous imprisonment for four years and to pay a fine of Rs.25,000/- and in default to

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suffer three months simple imprisonment under section 7 and also to undergo rigorous imprisonment for a period of three years and to pay a fine of Rs.20,000/- and in default to suffer three months simple imprisonment for the offence under section 13 (1) (d) r/w 13 (2) of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988. The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau further stated that both the sentences were ordered to run concurrently. The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Vijayawada has therefore requested to dismiss the accused officer from service on the ground of conduct which led to his conviction on a criminal charge under Rule 25 (1) of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules.

5. And whereas in the G.O.Ms.No.2, General Administration (Spl-C) Department, dated:4.1.1999 read with G.O.Ms.No.458, General Administration (Ser.C) Department, dated:22.9.2009, Government directed that in all proved cases of misappropriation, bribery, bigamy, corruption, moral turpitude, forgery, etc., the penalty of dismissal from service shall be imposed.

6. And whereas, it is considered that the conduct of Sri Majji Srinivasa Rao, former Sub-Registrar, I.Polavaram (M), East Godavari District which has led to his conviction on criminal charge, is unworthy of a public servant and his further continuation in the public service is undesirable.

7. And whereas, on consideration of facts and circumstances of the case, Government have decided that the penalty of dismissal from Government service shall be imposed on Sri Majji Srinivasa Rao, former Sub-Registrar, I.Polavaram (M), East Godavari District with immediate effect.

8. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred under clause (x) of Rule 9 read with clause (i) of Rule 25 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 and G.O.Ms.No.2, General Administration (Ser-C) Department, dated:4-1-1999, Government hereby dismiss Sri Majji Srinivasa Rao, former Sub-Registrar, I.Polavaram (M), East Godavari District from Government service with immediate effect.

9. The Director and Inspector General of Registration and Stamps, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada shall take necessary further action accordingly and furnish the compliance report to the Government immediately.

10. The following Notification shall be published in the extraordinary issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette.

NOTIFICATION

"In exercise of the powers conferred under clause (x) of Rule 9 read with clause (i) of Rule 25 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 and G.O.Ms.No.2, General Administration (Services-C) Department, dated:04-01-1999, the Government of Andhra Pradesh hereby dismiss Sri Majji Srinivasa Rao, former Sub-Registrar, I.Polavaram (M), East Godavari District from Government service."

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

AJEYA KALLAM
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri Majji Srinivasa Rao, former Sub-Registrar, I.Polavaram (M),
E.G.District *(through the Director and Inspector General of Registration and Stamps, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada)*

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The Director and Inspector General of Registration and Stamps, Andhra Pradesh, *Eedupugallu, Vijayawada* (with a request to serve the G.O. on the individual and furnish the served copy with dated acknowledgement to the Government for record)
The Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Kakinada.
The Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Vijayawada.
The Commissioner of Printing, Stationery & Stores Purchase, Muthyalampadu, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh. (with a request to publish the G.O. in the extraordinary Gazette and furnish 10 copies to Government)

Copy to:

The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner, A.P.Vigilance Commission, AP Secretariat, Velagapudi, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh.
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, P.N.Bus Station, NTR Administrative Block, Vijayawada, Krishna District, Andhra Pradesh.
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh.
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